



County of El Dorado Cemetery Advisory Committee

AGENDA

Wednesday October 22, 2014

3:00 PM

Conference Room A

330 Fair Lane

Placerville, CA 95667

Committee Members:

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| Cemetery Director, Steven M. Pedretti, Director, Community Development Agency | Supervisor Brian Veerkamp, BOS Representative |
| Bonnie Wurm, Cemetery Director Alternate | Kathy Witherow, BOS Alternate |
| Sheriff John D'Agostini, County Coroner | Jeffrey A. Schmidt, Fraternal Organization Representative |
| Doug Walker, Archeological Organization Representative | Janette Rogers-Booth, District I Representative |
| Ramona Tripp-Verbeck, Native American Representative | Fred Belt, District III Representative |
| Vacant, District II Representative | Joan Wicklund, District V Representative |
| Frank Clark, District IV Representative | |

2014 Cemetery Advisory Committee Report

On June 4, 2002 the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution 128-2002 establishing the El Dorado County Cemetery Advisory Committee ("Committee") in order to draw upon the advice and expertise of trained, knowledgeable and interested individuals within the community to protect and promotes the public health, safety and general welfare by preserving and enhancing the County's Cemeteries; to provide clear, fair, appropriate and effective regulations for their use, to ensure appropriate treatment of Native American burial sites, to compile and record cemetery information, records and historical data; and to identify and pursue funding for these activities.

The Committee is comprised of eleven members including: one representative from each of the five Board of Supervisor Districts, one from a recognized fraternal organization; one from a recognized Native American organization, one with academic training and professional experience as an archeologist; a member of the Board of Supervisors; the County Coroner, or designee, and the County Cemetery Director, or designee. County staff assigned to the Committee includes the Museum Director, County Counsel, and the County Planning Director, or their respective designees.

The Committee is required to submit an annual report to the Board of Supervisors addressing the status cemeteries within the county, describing tasks accomplished during the report year, to make recommendations regarding future activities and projects, and to report on findings resulting from research its members conducts.

The Cemetery Advisory Committee participants and County staff have continually worked toward satisfying the assignments given in Resolution 128-2002. On October 7, 2003, the initial report was filed and Resolution 285-2003 was adopted declaring October each year as the Cemetery Recognition Month. Subsequent annual reports were written, however filing was postponed pending submittal of recommended revisions to the Cemeteries Ordinance.